

# MANY PLANES SHOT DOWN

## Desperate Nazi Resistance To Gigantic Air Raid

### Yanks Smashing Into Cervaro On Italian Warfront

Key Village Taken By U. S.  
Forces After Hard Strug-  
gle Says Report

### WEATHER AGAIN HAMPSERS OFFENSE

By JAMES L. KILGALLAN  
(N. S. Staff Correspondent)

ALGIERS, Jan. 12.—Special-trained American "peak busters" slammed through German defenses along the mountain ridges guarding the highway to Rome today and blasted a patch to within 100 yards of the key village of Cervaro which spokesmen labeled "a hot spot" for remaining Nazi defenders.

A German high command communiqué relayed by transocean admitted the fall of Cervaro after violent fighting. The transocean dispatch was heard in New York by FCC monitors.

The communiqué asserted: "In south Italy, violent defensive fighting west of Venturo is being continued. Cervaro and a ridge north-east of there were lost after hard fighting."

### Forces Are Mired

Despite adverse weather and sudden thaws which mired the fighting front and sent streams and rivers over their banks, the American Doughboys and British Tommies hurled the enemy from strategic high ground on the approaches to mountain villages on the road to Cassino and Rome. Other units hurled back a desperate German counter-attack that at one time succeeded in spanning the Garigliano river on the far western section of the front.

With the battle for Cassino mounting to new fury, Doughboy patrols cleared out an enemy pocket of resistance 800 yards from Mont Di Pileri, northeast of Cervaro which lies on the route to Cassino. Farther west the Nazis resisted strongly an American thrust against 200-foot-high Monte Capraro. American units stabbed forward against enemy lines before Cervaro itself and the latest Allied headquarters communiqué placed them only 100 yards from that village.

Grimy infantrymen slogged through the mud beyond Monte Porchia and reached the foothills of Monte Trocchio in a pincers

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### PA NEWC OBSERVES

Probe 'Suicides'  
In Nazi Prison  
Camp In Kansas

CONCORDIA, Kan., Jan. 12.—(INS)—An official investigation was under way today following the third death listed as suicide since August in the German prisoner of war camp at Concordia, Kan.

The investigation, designed to bring about a complete airing of reports of the conduct of the prisoners toward each other, was organized by Lieut. Col. Lester Voecke, commanding officer, after Pvt. Franz Kettner, 39, a prisoner, reportedly took his own life.

Kettner, an Austrian from Bojano, Italy, was said to have slashed his wrists and groin with a razor blade yesterday while in the American guardhouse, where he had been for 10 days at his own request for protection from other prisoners.

Previously two German army captains were listed as suicides. Both were found hanging from rafters in their quarters.

The three deaths and the manner in which they were carried out gave rise to speculation that Nazi and anti-Nazi factors were secretly conducting their own "courts" and meting out penalties, including death sentences.

In the case of one death indications were said to be especially strong that his suicide may not have been voluntary or even may have been an execution.

**Truck Driver Is  
Burned To Death**

HARRISBURG, Jan. 12.—(INS)—James Rohrbaugh, 40, of Mt. Wolf, York county, was found burned to death early today when firemen extricated him from the cab of a huge tractor trailer truck which he had crashed into a rock cliff during last night's state-wide blackout.

State police reported the vehicle caught fire at the east end of the Newport bridge on route 22, enveloping the driver in flames. Millersburg and Newport firemen reached his charred body almost four hours after the crash by using acetylene torches.

### Daily Weather Report

United States weather statistics for the 24-hour period ending at nine a.m. today follow:  
Maximum temperature, 41.  
Minimum temperature, 18.  
Precipitation, snow flurries.  
River stage, 47 feet.  
Statistics for the same date a year ago follow:  
Maximum temperature, 25.  
Minimum temperature, 23.  
No precipitation.

### THEY'RE NEXT, SAYS KNOX



### Japanese Report Formosa Bombed

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—(INS)—The Tokyo radio reported today that Allied planes bombed opposite ends of the Island of Formosa Tuesday night, but claimed that "damages were very light."

"Several" bombers were said to have carried out the attack upon the Takao and Tamsui areas, according to the broadcast heard by FCC monitors.

### Allied Aircraft Bomb Nazi Held Ports In Greece

Piraeus And Athens Areas  
Are Bombed By U. S.  
And British Planes

By GRAHAM HOVEY  
(N. S. Staff Correspondent)

ALGIERS, Jan. 12.—Allied aircraft started the "one-two" treatment yesterday to Piraeus, important Nazi port in Greece, with smashing daylight and nighttime aerial assaults. Allied headquarters announced.

RAF Wellingtons blasted the Port of Athens last night after U. S. Flying Fortresses had staged a daylight raid on shipping and harbor installations.

The big American "Forts" battled their way through 35 German planes, eight of which were shot down by the bombers and twin-motored Lightnings that escorted them.

Crews said their bombs landed square on the targets, causing a tremendous explosion and many fires.

The day-night combined assault by the fifteenth U. S. Air Force and the RAF on Piraeus was a replica of Monday's two raids on Bulgaria's capital, Sofia.

U. S. B-52 Mitchell bombers attacked railroad yards at Fabriano, Italy, between Ancona and Foligno, and rail installations at Falconara.

RAF Spitfires, in a heavy day's operations, set fire to a Nazi school and damaged other vessels off the Dalmatian coast, shot down three enemy fighters over the battle area and joined American Warhawks in bombing and strafing communications on the Eighth Army front. Ten vehicles were wrecked and others damaged.

RAF Baltimore bombers attacked Peleia, 25 miles southwest of Chieti.

Altogether 120 fighters and light bombers (Continued on Page Six)

### New Electrical Age Of Wonders Being Forecast

Local Flyer Tells How  
Yanks Are Outwitting  
Japs In South Pacific

By PITTSTON, Jan. 12.—(INS)—

A new electrical age of "wonders defying the imagination" was forecast today by Nevin E. Funk, national president of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers.

"This is an age of magic," he said at the mid-winter meeting of the Pittsburgh section of the institute and electrical section of the Engineers Society of Western Pennsylvania.

"Who in 1930 would have believed a battleship could sink an enemy eight miles away in the dark of the night?" he asked, adding: "Yet it has been done electrically."

Despite man's amazing progress, Funk remarked, he still is in "the fire age" in production of electrical energy, because he wastes 70 per cent of the energy in fuel. But Funk said he believed that some day "we may solve the problem of unlocking the chemical energy residing in this fuel and transmit it directly into electrical energy."

All engagements of the speaking tour which had brought her to the Pacific coast have been cancelled and Mrs. Luce was in seclusion pending arrival of her husband, Henry Luce, magazine publisher from New York.

The accident which took the life of her daughter, child of a former marriage, occurred when the car in which the girl was returning to classes at Stanford University in nearby Palo Alto with a friend, was struck at an intersection by another automobile and skidded into the curb.

Miss Brokaw was thrown from the door which had sprung open and was crushed between the front wheel and a tree, rushed to a nearby hospital, she was pronounced dead upon arrival. The driver of the car, Miss Virginia Lee Hobbs, was uninjured as was Kurt Bergel, army language instructor at Stanford, who drove the automobile which struck them.

Fall On Dead Ears

The president's legislative recommendations fell on almost deaf ears, so far as they will influence the course of impending laws.

As though anticipating opposition in congress, the president took his

### Giant Infantry And Tank Battle Along Bug River

Nazis Bring Up Heavy Re-  
inforcements To Attempt  
To Halt Reds

### TERRIFIC BATTLE IN SOUTHERN UKRAINE

(BULLETIN)  
MOSCOW, Jan. 12.—The

sprawling rail city of Sarny, 38 miles west of the pre-war Polish border and first major city in that territory to fall to the Red army, was occupied today by hard-hitting troops of the First Ukrainian army, who thus severed two major rail routes at one blow.

Capture of the city was an-

nounced by Premier Marshal Joseph V. Stalin in a special triumphant order of the day.

By NATALIA RENE  
(N. S. Staff Correspondent)

MOSCOW, Jan. 12.—Rus-

sia and German armies were locked in giant infantry and tank battles on the north bank of the Bug river today, after the Nazis brought up heavy reinforcements to protect the vital Odessa-Lvov railroad.

The Moscow radio declar-  
ed that the enemy had launched heavy counter-  
attacks spearheaded by up-  
to 400 tanks.

The Nazi high command, in a

desperate effort to stop the Red

forces, hurled infantry reserves and

fresh panzer divisions into the river

battle in the Southern Ukraine.

Continue Advance

Despite stiffening resistance, how-

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Crushing 2,000 Pound Bomb  
Assault On Rabaul Is  
Included

### DIVE BOMBERS ARE USED IN ATTACKS

By FRANK ROBERTSON  
(N. S. Staff Correspondent)

GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S

HEADQUARTERS IN NEW GUI-

NEA, Jan. 12.—The American Air-

force, serving notice of its growing

strength, was disclosed today to have delivered record blows

throughout the South Pacific during the last 24 hours, including a crushing assault on Rabaul with

2,000-pound bombs.

The mighty Japanese bastion on

New Britain, menaced by U. S.

forces inching their way forward

on the island's west tip, was lamb-

asted by torpedo and dive-bombers,

the first time the latter had hit the

enemy stronghold.

Airdromes Blasted

Both Vunakanau and Toba air-

dromes were blasted in the midday

attack in which runways were dam-

aged and numerous one-ton bombs

crashed into anti-aircraft positions

protecting the fields.

Forty Japanese planes swept into

the skies trying to halt the U. S.

raiders, and 17 of them were sent

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Buntman Killed  
On Heroic Mission

Letter Tells How New Castle  
Soldier Was Killed In  
Action In Italy

Hyman Buntman, 21, son of Mr.

and Mrs. Alex Buntman, of 1512

Hamilton Street, died as a volun-

teer on a dangerous mission in

Italy, his parents were told Tues-

day in a letter from their son's platoon

commander, First Lieut. Basil C.

In the letter Lt. Balaker extolled

the dead soldier as one who was

devoted to duty, was well liked by

his mates and conducted himself

in the best tradition of an American soldier.

Lt. Balaker was ordered to take

out a patrol on a dangerous mission

and asked for volunteer. Hyman

Buntman was one of the first vol-

unteers and was killed as he laid

alongside his lieutenant.

The son had a laceration one-half

inch long above his left eye. The

doctors said it was a superficial

wound.

The father was found dead on the

floor of the living room. The son

was found dead lying on the floor

near a coal stove in the kitchen.

The fire in the living room grape

was out and the coal stove fire was

also out in the kitchen.

The father and son lived together,

and were last seen alive Monday

afternoon.

Eight Sons and Daughters

## Waste Paper Salvage Will Be Started Here

Salvage of waste paper will start in New Castle and Lawrence County within a short time, Ross D. Rosenberger, chairman of the Salvage Committee, announced today. A meeting will be held Thursday to set up the campaign and this county will aid its waste paper to that of the other counties in the state. The statement of Mr. Rosenberger in the matter follows:

"Salvage of waste paper on a large scale has been impossible heretofore in New Castle and Lawrence County because our few facilities for sorting, baling and shipping waste paper have been overloaded. Had we encouraged people to save waste paper under those circumstances we would have created a serious fire hazard throughout the community.

"The problem was to find a useable outlet for waste paper which did not require that all collected be sorted perfectly and baled. The Salvage Committee has found that outlet and is now organizing a campaign for the collection of the much needed waste paper."

The Waste Paper Salvage Committee consists of Thomas G. Allen, Boy Scout Executive; Miss Marie Hay, Girl Scout Executive; Mrs. Keith McAfee, County Chairman of Home Salvage; Councilman D. O. Davies, County Commissioner; Earl Wimer, Rev. Mr. Thos. J. Jones, Pres. of the Ministerial Association; Roger Jewett, Executive Vice President, G. N. C. A.; Bart Richards and Fire Chief Thomas. They will meet at the Elks Club Thursday at twelve noon to further plans for a Victory Paper Drive."

### ANNOUNCES MARRIAGE

HARRISBURG, Jan. 12.—(INS)—State Treasurer and Mrs. G. Harold Wagner, of White Haven, announced today the marriage of Mr. Wagner's daughter, Miss Beverly Jane Wagner, to Eugene F. Cloutier, chief petty officer, U. S. of South Range, Wis. The ceremony was performed December 23 in Superior, Wis.

The bride is a veoman third class in the WAVES. She is a graduate of the Wilkes-Barre high school and business college and was employed in the state treasury department before enlisting in the navy on June 1. She is now assigned to the navy personnel division at Washington, where her husband is also stationed.

When a dish mop is used for washing dishes, a daily sunning is necessary to keep it sweet smelling.

## Acid Indigestion

Reduced in 5 minutes or double your money back  
When excess stomach acid causes pain, heartburn, indigestion, diarrhea, or flatulence, doctors usually prescribe relief—medicine. The following is known for  
Doubtless. No laxative. Bell and Company's comfort in a  
tiny, resealable bottle to us for double money back. 25¢.

## HUGE SKY BATTLE IS FOUGHT OVER GERMAN REICH

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the United States of the various exaggerated German claims and also sanctioned a statement that the enemy figures were "inaccurate."

The Germans conceded the loss of only two of their craft, adding that the crews of seven others are missing.

When the Germans issued their claim of 136 planes destroyed, they said that 124 were bombers and took the line that "the number is still incomplete."

### Heavy Opposition

It was apparent the raiders began to encounter heavy opposition as soon as they reached German territory, but there was not the slightest reason to put credence in the enemy assertion that the raid was in any sense a failure.

Even the German overseas agency broadcast seemed at variance with the official claims. This broadcast quoted a Berlin spokesman as saying:

"A massed fighter umbrella which accompanied the American planes deep into Germany nailed down a considerable portion of German fighter strength."

The Evening Standard said that planes returning from the smashing assault that rocked northwest Germany said that four Nazi planes were shot down for every Allied craft lost.

There was reason to believe however, that the American losses were high in what probably was the greatest aerial duel in history.

The Evening News said U. S. losses in the mighty blow on Germany were believed to be about 60-odd planes.

Greatest American loss to date was 60 planes on October 14, at Schweinfurt.

Throughout the entire time the giant flying fortresses and Liberators and their escorts were over Germany they were battling the enemy's fighters that appeared like swarms of locusts from airfields all along the route.

### With New Castle Afro-Americans

J. U. G. club was entertained for dinner at the home of Miss Helen Valentine on a recent evening.

Missionaries of St. John's United

Holy church will meet in the home of Mrs. Marie Maddox, 320 Mahon

avenue, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

White ants or termites are generally found in the tropics and live in vast communities. They are very productive, as one female can lay as many as 80,000 eggs. Their homes are large, sometimes reaching a height of 12 feet, in the shape of a cone, and are built so strongly that a person can stand upon it.

## Deaths of the Day

Lester F. Hauschild

Lester Paul Hauschild, aged 46 years, died suddenly from a heart attack at his home, 307 East Leisure avenue at 10 o'clock p. m. January 11.

He was born in Cleveland, Ohio, October 13, 1897, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Louis W. Hauschild. He served in the United States Navy during the World War One and after his release from service he joined the National Bankers Examining Staff of the Fourth Federal Reserve District as an assistant. In 1927 he was made a national bank examiner in which capacity he served until the time of his death.

Mr. Hauschild was an active member of the First Presbyterian church of New Castle, and president of its board of trustees. He also held membership in the New Castle Constructors and the Executive Club.

Those left to mourn his loss are his wife, Margaret McKee Hauschild, two young sons, William and Lester, Jr., ages ten and eight respectively, also his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis W. Hauschild, of Cleveland, Ohio. Dr. Paul H. McKee, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Latrobe, Pa., and Mrs. Doctor Donald A. Spencer, Pittsburgh, brother and sister of Mrs. Hauschild. Joel S. McKee of this city is an uncle.

The funeral services will be held at the residence, 307 East Leisure avenue on Thursday evening, January 13, 1944, at 8 o'clock p. m. Dr. John J. McIlvaine, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will be in charge of this service. Burial will be in the White Haven cemetery, Mayfield, Cleveland, Ohio, on Friday afternoon, January 14th.

The body is at the Offutt funeral home and will be taken to the residence this afternoon at 5 o'clock, where friends may call.

### Mrs. Edgar F. Smith

Mrs. Ida May Smith, aged 83 years, wife of Edgar F. Smith, 835 Oak street, died in the New Castle hospital, this morning at 4 o'clock, following a two month illness.

Mrs. Smith was born in Charlestown, Ind., August 2, 1860, daughter of Daniel and Maggie Swinger Coble. Mrs. Smith has resided for 25 years at 835 Oak street, and formerly was from Indiana. She had been married to Edgar F. Smith since November 18, 1894. Mrs. Smith attended the Second U. P. church, Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. Jacobs in charge, assisted by Rev. Hill.

Singers during services were Gladys Wagle, Mrs. Elton Fox, Mrs. Harold Fox and Mrs. Lester Shanahan.

Pallbearers were Norman and Elton Fox, Mr. Haydo, Mr. Knight, Mr. Scarfuss and Mr. Wagle.

The body was taken to the home of her sister, Mrs. Louis Yaegle, Warren, Pa., where further services were conducted at 3:30 p. m., and interment followed in Scots cemetery.

### CONGRESS SEEKS COOL ON DRAFT LABOR MOVE

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### Soldier Vote

Mrs. Jeanie Shoaf, age 61 years, wife of Albert Shoaf, 1904 Wilmington avenue, well known and highly respected resident of this city, passed away at Jameson Memorial hospital, Tuesday afternoon, January 10, at 3:40 o'clock. The deceased had been ill for the past few weeks, and was taken to the hospital on Saturday.

Mrs. Shoaf, the daughter of John and Peggy Clark McCullough, was born in County Antrim, Ireland, July 4, 1882. She was a member of the Second United Presbyterian church, and was loved by all who knew her.

She is survived by her husband, and the following children: Sgt. Harry William Shoaf of the U. S. Army Air Corps stationed at Laredo, Texas, and who arrived here Thursday night on furlough, Alma Jean, Thomas Sankey and Dorothy Louise Shoaf at home. She leaves one sister, Mrs. Samuel Robinson, of New Castle, and one brother, William McCullough of County Antrim, Ireland. An infant daughter, Elsie Louise Shoaf and a sister, Elizabeth McCullough preceded her in death.

The body has been taken to the residence, 1004 Wilmington avenue, where friends may call. Friday morning at 10 o'clock the body will be taken to the R. L. Boyd funeral home, North Jefferson street, where services will be conducted in the afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. J. Calvin Rose will be in charge, and interment will be made in Oak Park cemetery.

### Mrs. Califato Funeral

Solemn high mass of requiem for Mrs. Mary Califato, R. D. 7, was offered this morning at 9:30 o'clock, at St. Vitus church. Rev. Fr. Nicholas DeMita was celebrant; Rev. Fr. Dante DeLillo, deacon; and Rev. Fr. Albert M. Inteso, sub-deacon.

Pallbearers were: Pvt. Anthony Staph, John Staph, Jr., Michael Hardisky, Charles DeCarbo, Charles Mancini, Don DiCarlo.

Members of the King Humbert Auxiliary were honorary pallbearers: Mrs. Mary Ross, Mrs. Adela

Volpe, Mrs. Clotilda Ross and Mrs. Marie Alfredo. Mrs. Ross gave the oration for the Society at the grave.

Interment was in St. Vitus cemetery, and Father Inteso conducted the committal service at the grave.

**Giant Infantry  
And Tank Battle  
Along Bug River**

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ever, both the First and Second Ukraine armies continued to advance, while battlefield advices said.

In the Central Ukraine the hard-hitting Soviets maintained their offensive-a-week schedule, smashing ahead in a new drive that threatened the vital rail junction of Sarny with imminent capture. Sarny object of a powerful pincer thrust, lies 38 miles within old Poland.

Armored and infantry columns of Gen. Nikolai Vatutin's First Ukrainian army, swinging over to the offensive southwest and south of Novograd-Volynsk, overran upwards of 30 towns and villages in a drive aimed both at the Polish border and the five-way rail center of Sheptovka.

Among the towns to fall before this the Fifth Russian offensive launched in less than five weeks was the district center of Yarun and 14 other large towns, including Burtyn which lies but 16 miles northeast of the railroad hub.

Battlefront dispatches, meanwhile, indicated that German resistance was stiffening everywhere in Southern Russia as the Red army drives continued under full power.

### ROUTE OF ESCAPE

Sheptovka, almost due west of Zhitomir, is the point of juncture of such key railroads as the Berdichev-Brest, Litovsk, Korosten-Tranopil and Proskurov-Korosten lines. While the easterly termini of these roads are in Soviet hands, to the west they still provide routes of reinforcement or escape to the German forces still in lower Russia.

Soviet forces on this front inflicted heavy losses on the enemy, and did the Red army on most sectors. When Russian troops hemmed in a group of Nazis in a wooded area, as many as 400 of the Germans were killed.

"Tightening the ring," said the official Soviet communiqué, "our detachments completely routed the enemy."

A considerable number of German and Hungarian soldiers gave themselves up. Units of another Soviet formation, pursuing the enemy, wiped out about a battalion and captured a large convoy carrying ammunition."

### COLUMNS CONVERGE

Meanwhile, other columns of Vatutin's army converged from three sides on the Waryn Junction.

They forced the Sliuch river at two points, capturing the rail towns of Selisk and Nemovich north and south of intersection.

Nemovich, six miles below Sarny, fell before an "impetuous attack" by Red army forces, operating in conjunction with partisan units. Selisk lies less than seven miles above Sarny. Meantime, another Russian spearhead was approximately five miles east of the communications center.

In fighting for the Nemovich-Selisk objectives, some 800 Nazi soldiers and officers were killed.

Capture of these two points, severing as it did the north-south railroad just west of the old Polish border cut off German troops in White Russia from those in the Ukraine. Still remaining to the Nazis, of course, are the more circuitous routes bending far to the west.

While Vatutin's forces pressed their advances on the Central Ukrainian front, south of Belya Tserkov other Soviet mobile columns "inflicted several blows" on enemy forces moving toward the front lines.

### PROGRESSIVE

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### FORMER RESIDENT IS MARRIED HERE TUESDAY

Impressively but quietly celebrated was the wedding that took place Tuesday afternoon in Highland United Presbyterian church in the presence of a few guests when Mrs. Minnie M. McAnlis, of Aliquippa, daughter of David D. Reese, of the same city and former local residents, became the bride of Frank R. Grindle of Allentown and New York City, son of the late Frank and Amalia Grindle of Allentown.

Vows were exchanged at 2:30 o'clock with Dr. D. L. Ferguson, the bride's pastor, officiating. The couple had the only attendants, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Rick, this city.

Following a congratulatory period a reception was held at the Rick residence on Leisure avenue.

Included in the out-of-town guests present were Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Ehman, of Aliquippa, and Mrs. Louis D. Hazen, of Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Grindle left later on a two weeks wedding trip to points of interest. Upon returning they will take up residence at 431 Highland avenue, in Aliquippa.

### Servicemen Honored

Mrs. Scott Irvin, Mrs. Paul Swanson, and Mrs. Warner Swanson of Bessemer, were joint hostesses in the latter's home on Friday evening, January 7th, when a host of friends gathered in honor of the following servicemen who are home on leave:

Corp. Harold Swanson, U. S. Army; S 2-c Evar Swanson, U. S. Coast Guard and Air Cadet James Moses, U. S. Navy.

A social time was enjoyed and refreshments served by the hostesses.

### SEWING MACHINES Restrictions Lifted

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— TERMS —

### SINGER SEWING CENTER

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\$3.98

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WHO HAS A FINANCIAL INVEST-  
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### MORROW-THOMPSON WEDDING PERFORMED

Miss Sally Lou Morrow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Morrow, of R. D. 3, Lakewood, and William A. Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thompson, of 1403 East Washington street were united in marriage, at an impressive but quiet ceremony performed Monday evening at 6 o'clock in the parsonage of Rev. Abram P. Shaffer, pastor of the East Brook Methodist church.

Rev. Shaffer officiated using the single ring service, and the ceremony was performed in the presence of the immediate families and a host of friends.

For her wedding the bride chose a sky-blue ensemble with brown accessories and a shoulder corsage of red rose buds.

Attendants at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwin Ellison, of Butler, Pa.

Following the ceremony, a wedding reception was held at the home of the bridegroom's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thompson, 1403 East Washington street, places marked for 37 guests. Assisting Mrs. Thompson was delivered by Dr. Patterson. In his honor, the group sang "Happy Birthday" an event he will celebrate on Friday.

Mrs. Rowland Peden was leader of the devotional period.

Hostesses were Mrs. Kenneth Kauffman, Mrs. Leon Williams and Mrs. Paul Shouf. Dinner was served by the Central Circle of the church. On February 8, the society will have a valentine party.

### QUOTA CLUB GUESTS AT BROWN RESIDENCE

Quota club members met for their knitting session for the Red Cross, in the home of Mrs. Claire Brown, North Mill street. Tuesday evening.

Much was accomplished during the knitting period.

Following the knitting period, the hostess served a tasty repast.

Tuesday, January 18, the usual dinner-meeting will be held at The Castleton.

### Sample-Conn

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sample of New Bedford, announced the marriage of their daughter, Roberta, to Pvt. James E. Conn, of Camp Cook, Cal.

son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Conn, of Hubbard, O. The ceremony was performed at 8:30 Thursday evening, December 30, at the home of the Rev. A. C. Bussingham, Santa Monica, Cal. Pvt. Edward Whiting were of Camp Cook, and Mrs. Whiting were their only attendants.

Mrs. Conn graduated from Union

high school with the class of '43,

and has been employed at the General Fireproofing company, Youngstown.

Pvt. Conn has been in the service since June and was formerly employed at the Powell Pressed Steel company in Hubbard, O.

The newweds have taken up residence at 123 East Cook street, Santa

Marie, Cal.

### F. H. C. CLUB

Members of the F. H. C. club will meet Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Calvin Cox, Willard avenue, with Mrs. Elizabeth Jones as hostess.

Prizes for games played during the evening went to Mrs. Bruce Headland and James Callahan. At midnight a spaghetti supper was served.

Special guests included Mrs. Margaret Moscian, of Philadelphia, Miss Kathryn Herbert, Pvt. Jack Moscian and Pvt. William Robinson, both of Camp Reynolds, and James Callahan.

### F. G. C. Club

Miss Melvina Davis, Electric street, will entertain F. G. C. club members in her home on January 21. The last gathering took place Friday evening with Mrs. William Francis, Edgewood avenue, who entertained informally. Knitting and conversation were the pastimes. In serving a tasty repast, the hostess was aided by her sister, Mrs. George Stevenson of Warren, Ohio. She also carried off the evening prize.

### Surprise Birthday Party

Honoring the sixteenth birthday of Milton Hogue, Marion Hogue, Ellwood City, R. D. 1, a cousin invited a number of his schoolmates to his home for a surprise party recently.

Games of various kinds were enjoyed by the guests.

At a later hour a tasty lunch was served by Mrs. W. E. Hogue, assisted by Donna Mae Campbell, Marjorie McConnell and Marion Hogue.

### Local Girl Sorority Officer

Miss Carolyn Rocks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rocks, of 209 Summer avenue, has recently been elected pledge vice-president of Theta Upsilon sorority at Westminster College.

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### T. F. H. Club Meets

T. F. H. club met at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Harper, Court street, on Tuesday evening. Five hundred

was the pastime with prizes going to Miss Helen Book and Miss Ann Bintrum. Miss Mary Gardner was a special guest. At the close of play a lunch was served.

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### STRATEGY IN THE PACIFIC

MANY military commentators are pointing out that while we are meeting with spectacular successes against the Japanese in our war in the Pacific, none of these, because of the small forces engaged, can be counted decisive.

Our leaders have been sending our men to capture one island outpost after another. Some of the observers are pointing out that at the present rate of progress it would require years to crush the Japanese. The Japs have quickly gathered up a new empire of their own and are now content, for the time being at least, to hold on to it, assuming the defensive and consolidating their positions behind the screen of protection which they have sent out.

Doubtless the summary of the situation is true. If the present method of attack were continued alone, the conquering of the Japs would be a long and costly process. But we are fighting wars on two fronts and our military leaders here and abroad, have decided to make Europe the first scene of a major offensive. Under this decision it is obvious that the strategy now being pursued in the Pacific is the only practical one for that field.

But if the war is concluded in Europe in 1944 as most observers think it will be, then doubtless we will see a change in strategy in the Pacific. Our offensive forces will be greatly multiplied. The Japs will then have the opportunity of learning something about bombing by modern American military planes.

When this time comes the strategy will be directed against the heart of Japan just as it is now being directed against the heart of Germany. The Pacific outposts will no longer be getting the big headlines so far as the war in the Far East is concerned.

The quickest way to conquer Japan, of course, will be to cripple her industries. When the time for this change in strategy arrives in addition to bases on the Aleutian Islands, the question of plane bases in Siberia and on the mainland of Asia will become more important and urgent. It is then that we may judge as to the final extent in value of our recent agreements with Russia. There are some who believe that Russia even then will not grant us air bases in Siberia. But it is to be remembered that Japan is as much a natural enemy to Russia as is Germany. There is no more reason why Stalin should want Hirohito's empire to remain intact than that he would want a huge Nazi army to survive. In the final analysis despite all high sounding phrases it is self-interest which directs the policies of nations. And it is to Stalin's interest to have Japan liquidated in Asia, if he wants to have a commanding voice on that continent.

### CHICAGO IN JUNE

Decision of the Republican national committee to hold the Republican national convention in Chicago in June became a mere formality in the wake of the upsurge of public sentiment toward orthodox Republican tenets.

Victory was in the air at the Chicago meeting. Republicans are confident today, and their confidence is based upon solid ground. Two more congressional seats will fall to the GOP at special elections this month—one in Pennsylvania and one in Colorado—party chieftains from those states assured the Chicago meeting.

But the big prize is the presidency, and about the outcome of the election in November there was not the slightest pessimism at Chicago.

Chicago was the logical selection for what may easily be the most momentous Republican convention since 1860. Chicago is in the heart of the Midwest, and the Midwest is Republican territory today and, more than any other section of the nation, is representative of Republican thought and Republican principles.

Realization that the Republican national convention will be held five months from now may come as a shock to some of the complacent ones, who have given little thought to the political upheaval that is taking place in the United States.

### WHY NOT TAX BLANKS IN ENGLISH?

Probably we ought to be interested in the Brookings Institution's suggestion for a single, simple tax on incomes after the war. But what's worrying millions of citizens, who've just received their new tax blanks, is how they're going to thread their way through the tangled maze and find how much they owe the government right now.

Here's a choice provision, for instance, that looks as if it had strayed from the puzzle page:

"If contributions are paid by an employer to or under a stock bonus, pension or annuity plan, or if compensation is paid under a plan deferring the receipt of such compensation, such contributions shall not be deductible under subsection a, but shall be deductible, if deductible under subsection a without regard to this subsection, under this subsection, but only to the following extent."

There are penalties for taxpayers who guess wrong about their taxable incomes. How about penalties for the authors of the 1944 tax blank who have made it virtually impossible to guess right?—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Most folks would have more confidence in the "hold-the-line" policy if it were really being held.

Remember the good old days when most of the furnishing of food to those who needed it could be done by charity.

No matter how important you think you are you can quickly fade from the picture. For example, do you remember Mussolini?

There is one thing to be said of the shortage of whiskey, gasoline, rubber, and automobiles. There aren't as many drunken drivers as there used to be.

It is said that Hitler spends a lot of time looking at the stars and it is predicted on good authority he will spend the latter days of his life gazing at the stripes.

## THE NEW CASTLE NEWS EDITORIAL PAGE

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### The Parent Problem

By Gary C. Myers, Ph. D.

#### SHOULD HOLD PARENT RESPONSIBLE

SOME WHILE ago the judge in the juvenile court in a large industrial area told me that neither in his state or in any other, is there legislation enabling the court to hold the parent of a child liable for property damage or theft.

Why should not the first step in dealing with a child under 16 or 18 be the requirement that the parents make restitution for the property damaged or stolen by the child? Some parents would not, of course, have the money. But provision for such cases could be worked out.

If all the parents who have the money or could earn the money eventually were held liable for all property damaged or stolen by their children, vandalism, theft and burglary (often graduating into holdups) would certainly drop. Any juvenile offense against property by boys from 8 to 15 from homes of average or above-average income is appallingly prevalent, though they are not so likely to be hauled into court as other children. Here are a few cases reported in the papers in recent months:

#### Examples of Vandalism

Three boys, two were nine and the other 10 (whose names and addresses never got into the papers), living in a comfortable residential district, a suburb of a large city, broke into the local public library and removed all the books from the shelves and the cards from the files, and smeared them with ink and sprayed them from the fire extinguishers. A few weeks earlier in the choicer suburb (economically) of that same city, some other youngsters under 14 effected damage in a school building estimated at many thousand dollars. Several residents of this same suburb have told me that petty theft and entering of homes by children living in that area has become epidemic.

Within the last two years, in at least a dozen states, widely scattered, I have been told by school principals, police, mayors, and business leaders of similar cases of vandalism from "good homes" and that in no case did the parents volunteer restitution, nor were they held liable, and that in most instances the children got off with a lecture. I gather, in talking with junior high school principals in various parts of our nation that more and more youngsters are returning from the juvenile court triumphant heroes and comedians as they report what a joke it was.

#### Causes of Delinquency

Of course, as I have said before in this column, the doctrine of no restraint of children when they are little (lest their personalities might be warped) was first to be accepted as rule, by the kind of people most likely to be living in the economically-good areas.

These parents would be the first to renounce this destructive doctrine, and to stiffen up in home controls if, suddenly they found themselves legally responsible for the conduct of their children.

But I'm not optimistic about such laws being passed very soon, since so many of the legislators might dread the personal consequences. But such laws will be passed when things get bad enough, and we've seen nothing yet. The unspanked generation are only beginning to reach the delinquent age-range.

My special bulletin, "How To Teach The Tot The Meaning of No," may be had for postage by writing me at 235 East 45th street, New York City, enclosing a self-addressed envelope with a three-cent stamp on it.

#### Solving Parent Problems

Q. Should a child who uses his left hand in the classroom be required to use his right instead?

A. No: the modern teacher does not interfere with the child in this respect, nor does the modern parent at home.

We will not only have to have jobs for the soldiers who come back in good health, but must also have plenty of hospitals for those who are wounded. Give this a lot of serious thought.

Now we are promised more caned fish.

There will be a lot of serious things to consider when peace comes.

It is a waste of time to be that other I; that dreamer vain, who points to goals this I should gain;

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## Mobilization Of Defense Corps To Occur Saturday

HARRISBURG, Jan. 12—(INS)—The state defense council announced today that the second monthly statewide mobilization of its volunteer corps will be staged Saturday with emphasis on the activities of air raid wardens, fire guards and messengers.

The three units will be mustered and inspected at 7 p.m. an hour before the drill is slated to begin. The mobilizations have replaced the discontinued state-called air raid drills involving public participation.

Allegheny County has been excluded from taking part in the mobilization due to unfavorable health conditions and Lancaster county has postponed its exercise until January 17, the council said.

## Barrage Balloon Provides Mystery

NEWPORT, Pa., Jan. 12—(INS)—State police and civil aeronautics officials continued the investigation today of the landing of an unplied barrage balloon on a farm near Newport, Perry County. Although it had been seen drifting over western Pennsylvania early yesterday, there were still no indications of its starting point.

State police described the craft as a sausages type about 80 feet long bearing markings of the Firestone Manufacturing Company and other numbers.

They reported that a cable, by which the balloon was believed to have been moored, knocked out a power line in a Wainesboro home and that the cable ripped another power line near Denton causing it to set fire to a field.

## FALSE TEETH

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Many wearers of false teeth have suffered real embarrassment because their plate dropped, slipped or wobbled at just the wrong time. Do not let this be one of your worries! Just sprinkle a little FASTEETH, the alkaline (non-acid) powder, on your plates. Hold it there, gently. It does not sour. Checks "plate" denture breath. Get FASTEETH at any drug store.



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## News Employees Honor R. E. Rentz

Farewell Tribute On Tuesday Night Prior To Departure Soon For Army Service

Richard E. Rentz, of the advertising department of The News, was honored Tuesday night January 11 when fellow employees tendered him a dinner in the club house of the Sylvan Heights golf course. He leaves shortly for service with the army.

The chicken dinner served by Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Haycock was of the usual high standard observed by them and the guests enjoyed the meal. Prior to sitting down the crowd was directed in singing "America" by Fred Scheppel, and Arthur Rees offered the blessing. During the meal, pep singing was enjoyed.

Several brief talks were made by members of various departments. Clyde Burkholder spoke for the composing room, William Gustafson for the press room, Charles E. Allen for the editorial room and upon behalf of all the employees Edward J. Ryan presented Mr. Rentz with a military ring. He responded briefly, thanking his colleagues for their courtesy.

Two News employees now in service, Dandy Iozzi and George Driver were presented as guests and they were presented with leather pocketbooks by Fred Finch for the employees.

Entertainment was provided by a trio consisting of E. E. Branstetter, pianist, Miss Marsaro, vocalist, and Jack Shepp, saxophone.

The committee in charge of the affair consisted of Leonard W. Kisthart, Charles Landolf, Harry Carlson, C. Arthur Patterson, and Fred Scheppel. Sam Richards was the toastmaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brown of Plain-grove have received word that their son, Cpl. Wesley C. Brown, is on maneuvers in Nashville, Tenn., where he has been transferred from Camp Campbell, Ky.

Sgt. William Edgington, army air corps, stationed at Grand Island, Neb., is spending a 14-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Mary Edgington, and his sister Cordelia Edgington of Highland avenue.

Carmen Sheldon, S-1-c (R.M.), 127 Center street, was graduate recently from the radio school of the Naval Training Station at Sampson, N.Y., and awaits reassignment.

Cpl. William Pumble of West Pittsburg is home on a 15-day furlough from Camp Polk, La.

John Aldan, S-2-c of West Pittsburg, has returned to Sampson, N.Y., after visiting with his family.

Cpl. A. Reed, signalman 2-c of the U.S. navy, who is serving in an overseas theatre of war, is confined to a hospital where he underwent an operation. Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Reed of 1021 East Cherry street, this city, will be confined there for at least three months.

Word has been received by Mrs. Angelo Nocera, 306 East Home street, that her husband, Cpl. Angelo Nocera, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant. Sgt. Nocera is stationed at Camp Campbell, Ky.

Mrs. Themia Chirozi of 37 Rebecca street has left for Miami Beach, Fla., to visit her husband, S-Sgt. Dominic Chirozi, who has just recently returned from the Panama Canal Zone after spending three years there. He is at present confined to the Coral Gables hospital for treatment.

John Petro of 28 N. Lee avenue, who has been inducted into the marines, left today for Parris Island marine corps training station.

Mrs. Mary Hammond, North Mercer street, has received word that her son, Cpl. Earl D. Hammond, has arrived safely in the British Isles. He is with the army air force.

WAVE Martha H. Davis, 512 West North street, reported for duty in Washington, D.C., recently after completing training courses at Oklahoma A. & M., Stillwater, Okla. She has earned the rating of seamstress first class.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry White of Marshall avenue have received word that their son, Harry J. White, has been promoted to fireman first class. He recently completed 16 weeks of specialized training at Sampson service school, Sampson, N.Y., and has now been transferred to Norfolk, Va.

Pvt. Lauri Pakkanen has returned to Polytechnic Institute, Va., after spending several days leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Pakkanen of 822 East Lutton street.

Pfc. Norman P. Graziani, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graziani, 1210 Butler avenue, has completed training and has been graduated from the Army Air Forces Training Command school at Chanute Field, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thompson, of 1408 East Washington street, received word that their son, Lieut. James M. Thompson, of Hawaii, has departed for an unknown destination.

Mrs. Edward V. Ellison of 2210 Highland avenue, has received word that her husband, Apprentice Seaman dwarf V. Ellison, is with the U.S. Navy at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill.

Pvt. Francis Doran of Neshanock avenue is spending a 10-day furlough from Alabama.

Vincent DelPrincipe, 519 West North street, received word that his son, Pvt. Richard DelPrincipe, has been transferred from North Camp Hood, Texas, to Camp Blanding, Fla.

Pfc. Daniel A. Mozzocco, stationed at Camp Polk, La., is spending an 11-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Mozzocco, 423 Shady side.

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## IN U. S. ARMED SERVICE

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Donald Kyle Graham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Graham, 304 Northview avenue, has left for Miami Beach, Fla., to start training in the army air corps.

Pvt. 1-c Robert A. Bullis, son of Mrs. Esther Young, 908 Marshall avenue, who has been in base hospital, Hill Field, Utah, is now confined to Veterans' hospital, Aspinwall, where he will be for an indefinite period. He has been honorably discharged from the army.

Cpl. Toy Lautinen has returned to Camp Gordon, Ga., after spending a 12-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lautinen, 603 Taylor street, and his wife of Ellwood City.

Seaman 2-c Jerry Callahan has completed his boot training at Great Lakes, Ill., and is home on a 14-day leave. He is the son of Mrs. Esther Callahan, 213 Milton street.

Word has been received that Sgt. Donald McKeer, is seriously ill. Sgt. McKeer has been on desert maneuvers in Arizona. He is the son of Mrs. Jane McKeer, 1215 Finch street, and of Sgt. Frank W. McKeer, who is somewhere in the Hawaiian Islands.

Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Gilmore of Leasure avenue have received word from their son, Lieut. Richard H. Gilmore of the dental corps of his arrival at Camp Swift, Tex. He is serving as a dentist in the clinic of the station hospital.

Sgt. Raymond E. Brown has returned to Camp Davis, N.C., after spending a 10-day furlough with his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brown of Plain-grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brown of Plain-grove have received word that their son, Cpl. Wesley C. Brown, is on maneuvers in Nashville, Tenn., where he has been transferred from Camp Campbell, Ky.

Sgt. William Edgington, army air corps, stationed at Grand Island, Neb., is spending a 14-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Mary Edgington, and will report to a field in California after the expiration of his leave.

Carmen Sheldon, S-1-c (R.M.), 127 Center street, was graduate recently from the radio school of the Naval Training Station at Sampson, N.Y., and awaits reassignment.

Pvt. Ralph Graziani, of Mahon-ington, is en route to an unrecruited destination.

Pvt. Ludovak Merino, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Merino, of Harrison street, has arrived safely somewhere in Ireland. His two brothers, Pfc. John, and Pvt. Albert, are both in the south Pacific area.

Pvt. Jack A. McGuire, who is stationed in the Caribbean with the air corps, recently made a flight to Havana, Cuba, and has written of the trip to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John P. McGuire, of 217 Northview avenue.

Pvt. Joe Trocchi, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Trocchi of West Pittsburg, is home on a three-day leave from New York.

Mrs. Earl D. Gilkey, of Martin street, has received word that her son, Pvt. Lawrence E. Gilkey, has been transferred to England. Pvt. Gilkey has served 27 months with the army engineers in England.

Pfc. Reginald J. Antonelle has arrived home on furlough from Camp McCain, Miss., to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Monico, of East Division street.

Anthony Pagliaro is stationed at Camp Lee, Va., following his recent induction into the army, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Pagliaro. His brother, Pfc. Vincent Pagliaro is somewhere in the Pacific area.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Kelly, Wampum, R. D. 1, have received word that their son, Pvt. Edward K. Kelly, has arrived in the Hawaiian Islands. He reports excellent weather and went via Panama.

Cpl. Kenneth C. McKee, son of Mrs. Anna McKee, Neshamack boulevard, who has served 18 months in the U.S. service, has been honorably discharged on account of ill health.

Pvt. Lauri Pakkanen has returned to Polytechnic Institute, Va., after spending several days leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Pakkanen of 822 East Lutton street.

Pfc. Norman P. Graziani, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graziani, 1210 Butler avenue, has completed training and has been graduated from the Army Air Forces Training Command school at Chanute Field, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thompson, of 1408 East Washington street, received word that their son, Lieut. James M. Thompson, of Hawaii, has departed for an unknown destination.

Mrs. Edward V. Ellison of 2210 Highland avenue, has received word that her husband, Apprentice Seaman dwarf V. Ellison, is with the U.S. Navy at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill.

Pvt. Francis Doran of Neshanock avenue is spending a 10-day furlough from Alabama.

Vincent DelPrincipe, 519 West North street, received word that his son, Pvt. Richard DelPrincipe, has been transferred from North Camp Hood, Texas, to Camp Blanding, Fla.

Pfc. Daniel A. Mozzocco, stationed at Camp Polk, La., is spending an 11-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Mozzocco, 423 Shady side.

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John Paul Godfrey, chief pharmacist, U.S. Navy, who was on duty with the marines at Midway during that historic battle has just completed 16 years in the navy and after having re-enlisted is now here visiting his brother, H. L. Godfrey, navy recruiting specialist who is in charge of the navy recruiting station in this city. Chief Godfrey states, he is lucky to be here as the dug-out next to the one he was in was blown to bits during the battle of Midway. His next duty will be on a heavy cruiser. John and his brother enlisted in the navy in 1929 at San Diego, Cal.

Word has recently been received by his wife of 1101 Delaware avenue, and parents that Charles Bruce Headland has been promoted from the rank of private first class to sergeant. Sergeant Headland, stationed in Italy, contracted malaria fever in October and since his discharge from the hospital, he has again been in active duty. He is now assigned to a rest camp. Sgt. Headland has been overseas since last April and also took part in the Sicilian campaign. He is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Clifford C. Headland of Eau Claire, Pa.

Ensign Jeane Fallen, N.C.U.S.N., graduate of Mr. and Mrs. John Fallen, East Meyer avenue, has been transferred from U.S. Naval hospital in Philadelphia to Opa Locka Naval air station, Miami, Fla. After spending several days with her family and friends, she has proceeded to her new station at Opa Locka. Prior to her enlistment in the U.S. navy, she was a nurse at the Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, Md. A brother Pvt. I. C. Fallen, has spent 18 months in overseas duty. He is stationed in Italy.

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## Service Bill Hearings Start

### Senate Committee Starts Hearings On National Service Bill Proposed

By ROBERT HUMPHREYS  
(U. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Sen. Warren Austin (R-Vt.) told the senate military affairs committee today that his national service bill would make six million 4-F's, and other millions of fathers as well as women subject to draft for non-combatant service.

Austin made the statement as the committee began hearings on the bill which he introduced shortly after President Roosevelt sent a message to Congress asking such legislation.

Introduction of the bill coinciding with the president's request, caused committee members to inquire whether Austin had conferred with the president about its introduction.

"I have never passed a word with the president on the subject at any time and did not know that he was going to ask for this kind of legislation," Austin replied.

"My action was prompted entirely by a clear realization that such legislation must come sooner or later and that we ought to be prepared for it. A report by Col. Lewis Sanders, this committee's own adviser on manpower problems, shows that our manpower need will be greater in 1944 than they were in 1943 when our production fell short because of manpower problems."

Question. Statement

Sen. Henry Cabot Lodge (R-Mass.) questioned Austin's statement on manpower, declaring that it was the crux of the whole question, but that Austin had not submitted factual support for it.

Austin then produced a voluminous set of tables prepared by Col. Sanders.

"This bill ties in with all of our manpower problems," he said. "It affects the question of the father draft; it will prevent labor hoarding, pivoting, turnover and absenteeism."

"Every time you take a single man from a job and place him in the armed forces you leave a father at home. This bill will create one vast pool of manpower made up of six million 4-F's, of fathers who might otherwise be called to combat service and of women."

Both Republicans and Democrats questioned Austin minutely about details of the act and its enforcement. He insisted that it differed greatly from the selective service act.

"This is not a mass conscription measure, but a measure which will enable the government to put non-combatant men and women where

they are needed when they are needed," Austin explained. "All voluntary recruiting methods would have to be exhausted before it became operative."

Austin then asserted that the bill was a nobrainer which came to congress backed by the people as expressed in the thousands of letters and calls, and with the endorsement of the American Legion and the war and navy departments.

"It would be an answer to the Nazi claim that a great and democratic nation cannot carry through a long war because of dissension, factionalism and lack of staying power," Austin continued.

"But I will not continue this legislation. I think it must have popular approval and not come as a command from Congress."

Despite Austin's plea, congress appeared likely to lay President Roosevelt's suggested legislation on the shelf, to be taken down only if widespread strikes threatened.

### LT. SCHWEIKERT GUEST OF LEGION

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fecile mess hall, Chip being billeted only 500 yards away from where he was, but the two were unaware of each other's presence until they happened to meet at mess one day. Chip is doing a great job fighting the Japs he stated.

He stated that the boys in the armed forces want to get the war over as quickly as possible and get home, but the only way they can do this is to have the continued support of the folks back home. He urged the Legion men to buy bonds and contribute in any other way they can toward winning the war.

Lt. Schweikert was introduced by Past Commander Guy J. Waddington.

**Holder Memory Of Pvt. Lewis**

The post also paid tribute to the memory of Pvt. Ivor J. Lewis, Jr., son of Ivor J. Lewis of Morton street, a memory of the post, news of whose death was received over the weekend. The post members faced the west and stood in silent tribute.

Election of directors to the Legion Home association resulted in the following being named: C. C. Sweesy, Clare B. Book, Leon A. Drumm, Fred C. Duff, R. L. Boyd, Lee R. Hanna, J. Leperc Matthews, and Fred M. Alexander.

The post also honored another member, Frank C. Conner, whose son, Pvt. Charles Conner, was recently awarded the Silver Star for gallant action against the Germans in Tunisia.

A delegation of 40 and 8 officers from the Western Pennsylvania district were present, and held a meeting and election of officers after the post meeting. Those in the delegation included L. J. Morris, Sons Grand Cheminot; Walter Alexander, of the 28th district; J. Gardner Young and D. J. Davy, past county commander of Mercer county.

### FIRE CHIEF HOME

Fire Chief James E. Thomas, of E. Long avenue, has returned home from Etna, Pa., where he and Mrs. Thomas were called by the death of the latter's father. While away Chief Thomas visited fireman Norman Minner, who is undergoing treatment in the Aspinwall Veterans Hospital. He reports that fireman Minner is getting along nicely.

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### Discharge Pay Bill Is Prepared For House Action

#### Finishing Touches Are Given To Pay Bill By House Committee

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—(INS) The House Military Affairs Committee put the finishing touches today on a discharge pay bill for service men and women and it will be adopted by the House on Friday.

Under the House measure, which was approved unanimously by the committee yesterday, all those discharged from the service, after serving a minimum of 60 days, will receive \$300.

Meanwhile, work on a soldiers vote bill was continued by the House committee on presidential elections. Members expect to approve a bill tomorrow in a form leaving full control of the ballot in the hands of the states, instead of a federal ballot as called for by President Roosevelt.

The discharge pay bill will probably be taken up in the house late this week or early next. Passage is considered certain. The Senate version, passed by the upper branch more than a month ago, provided a sliding scale rate of discharge pay ranging from \$200 to \$500 depending on length of service.

The soldiers vote bill will not come up in the house for another fortnight. There is every indication that the elections committee stands 8 to 5 in favor of a so-called "states rights" bill despite the fact President Roosevelt frowned on it in his annual message.

**County Schools Will Give Money To Red Cross Blood Service**

Children in township schools of Lawrence county will give a substantial amount of money from the sum received for the collection to the Red Cross as a contribution to the blood donor service. Mrs. John E. Elliott, chairman of volunteer services, has been notified by County School Superintendent John C. Syling.

Notice of the forthcoming donation was made following a recent monthly meeting of the principals of county schools, after pupils expressed a wish to contrite to the Red Cross blood donor service which is responsible for collecting all blood used in the blood plasma work for the armed services.

A mobile blood donor unit will come to New Castle February 28 and stay until March 11. From March 13 to March 18 it will be set up in Ellwood City; from March 20 through March 22 in New Wilmington, and from March 23 through March 25 in Bessemer.

**CORONER SAYS TWO MEN DIED FROM EXPOSURE**

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gan, Sharon, Mrs. Louella Sias, Ellwood City, and Mrs. Dorothy Andrews, Wampum, and three sons: David Freed, Wampum, and John and Thomas Freed, of West Pittsburg.

Mr. Freed was preceded in death by his wife, Mrs. Thomas Freed, who died in July, 1942.

The son, Harry, was a veteran of World War I.

The bodies are at the Marshall funeral home, where friends may call tonight, seven to nine, and Thursday, two to four and seven to nine o'clock.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday afternoon at two o'clock from the funeral home.

Interment will be in Clinton cemetery.

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### MILLBURN

Mrs. J. P. Hartt will entertain members of the Ladies' Friendship club in her home Thursday, Jan. 20.

George Milan received word Sunday of the death of his father following a short illness. Mr. Milan was 78 years old.

Clyde Anderson and family, of Fredonia, called Sunday evening at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Anderson.

The newly elected officers of Millburn Grange will be installed at the regular meeting Friday evening, Jan. 14, at the Grange hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Anderson and daughter, Karen, visited Mr. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anderson, of the White Chapel community.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Humphrey and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. George Weber and t-bay were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dickson Stewart at a venison dinner Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Clair and Mrs. Robert Heckathorn, Mrs. Byron Blake, Mrs. James Patterson, Mrs. Ralph Black, Mrs. Fred Munnell and Mrs. S. J. Drake attended the White Chapel W. S. C. meeting at the home of Mrs. Elmer Humphrey last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Orr and children, of Rouseville, and Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Fink, Jr., were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. M. B. Orr when Mrs. Fink's birthday was observed. Mrs. Earl Hume and Mrs. Sherman Drake called on Mrs. Orr in the afternoon.

Mrs. M. S. Brennan, of Leesburg, was a dinner guest of her cousin, Mrs. A. W. Weaver, Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Robinson and sons, of Hadley, and Mrs. T. C. Buckley, Jr., of Chestnut Corners, called in the Weaver home during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cummings, of New Wilmington, are spending several days with their daughter Mrs. Scott Frankenburg. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Attel, of New Wilmington, were Tuesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frankenburg and their daughters, Mrs. Black and Mrs. Sewell, with their husbands, called Sunday.

Friday evening entertained Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Humphrey and daughter, Geraldine, Mrs. and Mrs. Dickson Stewart and James Mayne and children, Martha and Paul, for dinner. Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Minich and daughter were their guests at a fish dinner.

**Warner Brothers Seek \$500,000 From Screen Actors Guild**

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 12.—(INS) Damages of \$500,000 were sought from the Screen Actors Guild today by Warner Bros. Pictures. The suit involves the question of whether "cut-rate" performances by screen stars in "patriotic" films are justified.

The suit said that the Guild forced any actor to perform at less than his regular salary scale after Warner's had paid the Hollywood canteen \$280,000, plus 40 percent of any profits, for the right to produce a motion picture entitled "Hollywood Canteen."

Warner's then sought to enlist an all-star cast to perform brief screen roles at salaries amounting to a pro-rata of their usual pay for the time they actually appeared.

Warner's contended it could not afford to pay stars full stipend for their brief bits and as a consequence had to scrap the film, sustaining a \$500,000 loss.

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### SURPRISE AIR RAID DRILL ON TUESDAY NIGHT

Another surprise air raid drill and blackout was held Tuesday night with good results, it was said by Executive Director of the Office of Civilian Defense, L. B. Round.

The first warning to the public came when the Blue Alert went on at 10:50 p.m. The Red Alert came on at 11:00 o'clock, the Blue again at 11:20 and the All Clear at 11:30.

Some slight confusion resulted among the wardens in the matter of stopping automobiles running with lights on during the Red Alert. Some of them were of the opinion that stopping cars was the job of the Auxiliary Police. Mr. Round stated today that it is the duty of all wardens to stop automobiles moving during the Red Alert, but that automobiles can move unrestrictedly when the Blue is on.

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## U.S. Navy Is Superior To Japanese By Wide Margin

By JOHN R. HENRY

(U. S. Staff Correspondent)

ADVANCE BASE IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC.—(INS)—Finding a Navy officer today who will admit ever subscribing to the pre-war theory that Japan's fleet could be polished off in jip time is like looking for a needle in a haystack; but the men who have met the enemy in combat agree that Uncle Sam's Navy is superior to Japan's by a wide margin.

This consensus of thought, gathered from more than a score of officers who have passed the test of battle, can be summed up in the idea once expressed by Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr.

The commander of the South Pacific force said, in effect, that while it is foolish to under-estimate Japan's naval power, it is equally ridiculous to over-estimate it.

With their opinions based upon personal experience and first-hand observations, warship captains believe it has been proved, thus far, that the weapons and tactics of the American Navy surpass those of the Japanese.

Statistics seem to furnish a two-plus - two-equals-four verification. Figures based upon comparative losses during the year ending July 31 show a marked advantage for the United States ships in the South Pacific.

There are no naval officers who say Japan's fleet is a pushover. Most of the qualified leaders, discussing the relative merit of the enemy, begin much in the manner of Cmdr. William Killian Romoser, skipper of a battle-tried destroyer.

Commander Romoser of Baltimore and Middleton, R. I., said:

"To begin with, I've never subscribed to the idea that we could beat the Japs just any old afternoon. Nor do I think any naval officer with the least bit of training or experience, ever believed any such blarney."

### Superior Tactics

Commander Romoser, who recently received the Navy Cross and was among those we interviewed on the comparative merits of the American and Japanese fleets, was positive that United States forces are superior.

"One of the important elements in our besting the Japs," he said, "is the fact that our tactics have been better than theirs. Time and again, we've managed to them down even when they were numerically superior in many cases."

The destroyer captain was inclined to discount the alleged 'dog-or-die' spirit of the enemy.

"They have guts, all right," he said, "but I think they'll throw in the towel when they're licked if they have a chance."

He recalled how his ship had rescued a number of Japanese survivors after one engagement. "They didn't break their necks getting into our ship," he said. "But on the other hand they didn't swim away and refuse rescue, either. They were quite willing to be rescued."

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### Republican Women Generally Critical Of Labor Draft Plan

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—(INS)—Republican women, enroute to their homes today after attending the meeting of the Republican National committee, were generally critical of President Roosevelt's request of congress for a labor draft, particularly as it applied to women.

Mrs. Victor N. Remely, Republican committeewoman from Missouri, said:

"The drafting of women is not necessary economically, but politically it is, if the New Deal is to continue its regimentation."

One possible commendable phase of such a draft was seen by Utah's committeewoman, Mrs. G. A. Marr, who said:

"The drafting of women might be a good idea if it halted the bridge-playing of some women five days a week. I get pretty disgusted with some women in my state. Some play all the time while their sisters do all of the work."

"It's up to the government to show a need for women before they should be drafted," said Mrs. Pearl M. Bridgeburn, New Jersey committeewoman.

Mrs. Mary L. Forrest, state vice chairman of Ohio, agreed with this, saying:

"Such a move is not necessary and merely seeks to extend New Deal regimentation."

Tony Gentile has returned home after spending the holidays with his sister in Chicago.

Pvt. Joseph Harvington, Camp Edwards, Mass., has returned after a furlough spent with his family.

William Palumbo, Camp Polk, La., is spending a 15-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Mary Palumbo.

Paul Wade is visiting a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Garrett, Cambridge, O.

Mrs. W. R. Dennison of Washington visited with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Snodgrass Thursday.

James Gardner and daughter, Sarah, and Miss Ethel Leslie of Youngstown were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Toth, daughter, Dolores, and sons, Robert and Johnnie, visited Saturday with Mrs. Toth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Toth.

Mrs. Harold Shelenberger and daughter, Jeanne, of Highland Heights has returned home after a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stickle.

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Winter and daughters of Vampum were weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. Frances Adams. Mr. Winter has been accepted to serve his country in the navy and will leave after a week's furlough.

Mrs. James Butera and her mother entertained a number of friends at a dinner Thursday evening in honor of Pvt. F. C. Fair, March Field, Calif., who is spending a 10-day furlough with his wife and children in New Castle.

Try the News Want Ads For Results

### EDENBURG

Mrs. Priscilla Stanley, of Erie street, who is blind, fell in her home on Saturday morning and is confined to bed.

Mrs. Bowser of Lansing, Mich., was called here by the death of her uncle, Judson Cole. She came on Wednesday and stayed for the funeral on Thursday.

Mrs. Dorothy and Mildred Briggs of Dearborn, Mich., were called here by the death of their uncle, Judson Cole. They spent several days with their aunt, Mrs. Cole.

The Missionary Women of the Christian church will have their regular monthly meeting and秉烛 dinner in the home of Mrs. Betty Nicholls, of Jackson street, on Thursday, January 13.

Under the terms of Dr. Robert Wilde's legacy, 12 children of St. Ives, England, recently threw dice for Bibles. The custom dates from 1675.

Friends said an overhead room caused De Menthon's collapse. He was quickly revived.

Just prior to his illness he told the assembly that whenever possible, trials and indictments of alleged "traitors" would be held in North Africa immediately.

The following Frenchmen would be tried before a five-man tribunal, De Menthon said: Marcel Peyron, former Vichy minister of the interior and later governor of Algeria; Pierre Boisson, one-time governor-general of Dakar who in 1940 resisted the British-Free French attempt to occupy the West African port; Pierre Flandin, former Vichy foreign minister; Pierre Puchet, former minister of the interior, said to have organized the French state police along Gestapo lines; and Gen. Jean Marie Sergeret, former Vichy air minister.

Other speakers had demanded more drastic action against accused "traitors" and their immediate trial.

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Children whose parents have library cards may borrow books. As

soon as children are old enough to write their names they are permitted to take out their own cards.

### CAMP RUN

Edward Moyer, of Lilyville, who has been ill with pneumonia, is recovering.

Mrs. B. F. Stamm is spending some time with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. William Strain, of Bridgeville.

Mrs. Rebecca Peffer, Mrs. Marion Peffer and sons of Scott Ridge, Mrs. E. N. Boots, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Boots and children were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peffer, of Middle Lancashire. Mrs. E. N. Boots returned to her home after spending the past week at the Peffer home.

CALLED FOR ARMY

Harvey James Cartwright, of 1202 West Washington street, who was recently called for service with the army, will leave next week with a group from City Board One.

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## Lawrence County Farm And Home News

By Extension Representatives, LEWIS C. DAYTON, Agriculture; MISS JOSEPHINE SIMPSON, Home Economics

## THRESH SEED FROM HAY

Farmers in Lawrence County who made second-crop clover hay last year may have more than just hay.

If the crop was cut on the ripe side, there may be a lot of seed in it as well as good feed. Threshing the hay will not hurt the feeding value and will recover the seed which is badly needed for spring seedings. If many of the clover heads rub out 15 to 20 seeds or more, it will pay to thresh the hay. Second-cutting red clover-Lading clover hay mixtures may contain appreciable amounts of Lading clover seed. At present prices, it will not take many pounds of seed to pay the threshing bill.

## POULTRYMEN URGED TO CULL OUT NON-LAYERS

The supply of feed available for poultry is smaller than it was last year.

Unless poultrymen consistently reduce the size of their flocks by weeding out the non-producers as they are detected, it will be impossible to keep within the anticipated feed supply. Careful, regular culling is not expected to reduce the number of eggs produced but will make more feed available for the good layers and will cut down the costs of production.

While it is not advisable to sell profitable producers, there are in some flocks many non-producers which can be removed without lowering production. This is the season of the year when the old birds which have been resting should be coming back into production. In this group of birds will be some that have become too coarse and fat to be profitable producers. Other birds have been so exhausted by their past year's production that they do not have the stamina to come back and be heavy layers. Birds of both these types should be sold as soon as possible.

Among the early-hatched pullets there will be some crow-headed, poorly developed birds that can well be sold. There also are some pullets that have not developed into profitable layers and should be removed at this time. These birds may have well-developed bodies, but the amount of yellow pigment that they carry in their beaks and legs will enable their owner to weed them from the flock.

Another type of pullet that should be eliminated is the one that shows that she cannot stand up under heavy production. This class of birds will have dull, shriveled pale beaks and legs, and thin flesh.

Through a regular culling program, the poultryman should be able to produce enough eggs to meet the requirements for the coming year.

## FEED DAIRY CALVES TO GET GOOD GROWTH

The old slogan, "A calf well started is a calf half grown," means a lot in growing good dairy heifers. It takes a long time to get a calf growing well if she suffers a setback caused by digestive troubles and scours.

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## Ecclesian Club Has Installation

Fifth Anniversary Dinner Scheduled For Thursday Evening, February 10

Installation of new officers was held at the meeting of the Ecclesian club, Tuesday evening, held in the club rooms, South Jefferson and South streets. Rev. Fr. John M. Unger, spiritual advisor was in charge of the installation.

Plans were also discussed for the club's fifth annual anniversary dinner, scheduled for Thursday evening, February 10. Further plans for this event are to be made.

The semi-annual reports were read and approved, and plans for a tea pin bowling league were made. Indications show that a good year is ahead of the Ecclesian club.

A tasty lunch was served later by Charlotte Leonardo and Mary Sansoni.

A joint social meeting with the Women's Ecclesian club will be held on Tuesday, January 25.

When Chamberlin went to Munich in September of 1938, the United States was turning out only 500 flyers a year, and with a total of 17,000 men, stood sixth among the great powers in air strength.

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## Flyer Husband Of Local Girl In Crash In Florida

## Escapes Death Again After Eluding Axis Fighters In Many Mission Abroad

According to dispatches from Florida, Capt. Samuel L. Say, of East McKeesport, who was married to Betty Jane Hulme, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence S. Huime, of Edgewood avenue, last October, has had another brush with death and miraculously escaped.

Capt. Say, the dispatches state, was flying in Army pursuit ship in close formation, when he apparently lost control of it and it crashed in the Gulf of Mexico, off the coast of Sarasota, Fla. Capt. Eugene H. Roberts, who went to his assistance also crashed. Coast Guard patrols rescued Capt. Say, but Lt. Roberts lost his life.

Capt. Say returned home from overseas last September after completing 82 missions as a fighter pilot in North Africa, Sicily, and Italy. He holds the Distinguished Flying Cross, and Air Medal with nine clusters. He is credited with two German planes and a possible.

He enlisted just after graduating from Grove City college, and after completing his training in this country, spent more than a year in combat duty overseas. He is the son of Rev. and Mrs. D. Lester Say, of East McKeesport. Capt. Say has been serving as an instructor at the Sarasota Air Base, and after a six month rest period, expects to be returned to combat duty.

## DISHWASHING BECOMES QUICK AND EASY TASK

Every Lawrence County home-maker can take a tip from industry's methods and streamline her technique in doing housework.

Take the common everyday job of dishwashing. Every woman has her own way of doing the job, but is she wasting motions or using extra energy?

The minutes you save on dishwashing every day add up to hours at the end of the year. Home management extension specialists of the Pennsylvania State College suggest the following time-saving method for washing dishes: First put everything in order—disorder slows down the process. Stack the dishes to save time. Put away all leftover foods. Clean the sink of refuse and pots and pans. Put water in pans, then stack where you won't have to reach around or move them until ready to wash. Wipe counter surfaces clean. Scrape, rinse, and stack dishes on counter surface at right of sink that is if you are right-handed. Put those to be washed first on the drain-board nearest the dishpan, keeping same size dishes and kinds together.

The usual order for washing is glasses first, then silver and china, and last the cooking utensils that have been sooty. When washing begins, a dish can be picked up with the left hand, washed with cloth or dish mop in right hand, then rinsed and drained, the dish staying in the left hand for the complete process. There is no waste motion, no crossing of hands, and you are getting efficiency into your work.

If the sink is a double one, rinse dishes in the left-hand unit, or rinse in separate container, or on a drain with spray. A wooden drainer may be made at home. Use white pine or a wood which won't warp or crack. Select a piece about an inch and half thick and cut to sink size. Make handles for the two ends so that it may be easily lifted in and out of the sink. Cut grooves for drainage. China may be left in drain until dry. To make silver and glasses shine, dry with towel.

"Another major crime," Felsani added, "for which the Neapolitans were guilty of nothing more than barricading themselves in an attempt to protect themselves against German fire. International News Service learned today.

The Italian fire chief, Felsani added, that hundreds of Italians "who were guilty of nothing more than barricading themselves in an attempt to protect themselves against German fire. International News Service learned today.

The date on which the order was issued by the German commander did not represent the beginning of Nazi vandalism," Felsani declared. He declared it was going on "since dawn of the day the Allies landed at Salerno."

"When the Germans set the university of Naples afire, I went to the Nazi command and fought for two hours, finally getting permission to take the fire extinguishing apparatus to the scene," the Italian added.

"But the German soldiers fired on us and limited our activity to circumscribing the fire to the university itself."

## De Matteis Is Given Decoration

## Hero Of Early Fighting In South Pacific Awarded Navy Cross Posthumously

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 12—For giving his life to rout the Japs from a well-trenched position on Gavutu in the Solomons, Marine Corporal Crescenzio P. DeMatteis, 117 Dewey avenue, New Castle, Pa., has been awarded the Navy Cross posthumously, it was announced today.

Corporal DeMatteis, son of Pasquale DeMatteis of New Castle was killed after he had single-handedly destroyed a Jap dugout with his rifle and hand-grenades.

The citation, which accompanied his award, follows:

"For extraordinary heroism as a member of the First Parachute Battalion, First Marine Division, in action against enemy Japanese forces on Gavutu, Solomon Islands, on August 7, 1942. When his platoon was pinned down by fire from a hostile dugout, Corporal DeMatteis, with utter disregard for the extreme danger involved, stealthily circled the entrenchment and killed one of the enemy.

"Having obtained an advantageous position, he displayed outstanding accuracy and courage in destroying the dugout with hand grenades and his rifle. By his daring aggressiveness and unflinching devotion to duty in the face of almost certain death, he single-handedly attacked and eliminated a perilous obstruction to his platoon's advance and thereby enabled his comrades to continue toward the objective.

"Corporal DeMatteis' unconquerable spirit was in keeping with the highest traditions of the United States Naval Service. He gallantly gave his life for his country."

Cummins was found guilty

March 4, 1935, and sentenced to 10

to 20 years in the Western Penitentiary. He was given his liberty on the recommendation of the State Pardon board after he had served about nine years.

## Escapes Kidnappers

## See Indications

## Russian Terms To Poland Favored

## Official Washington Inclined To Believe Refugee Polish Government Should Accept

By KINGSBURY SMITH (O. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12—There were strong indications today that official Washington is inclined to believe the Polish refugee government would be well advised to accept Russia's terms for a settlement of the boundary dispute between the two countries.

The American government does not approve the unilateral manner in which the Soviets have decided to retain a large part of pre-war Eastern Poland. This government would prefer to see the settlement of boundary disputes postponed until the end of the war.

Nevertheless, the view prevails strongly in official circles that it probably would be wise for the Polish government to accept the Soviet terms under the circumstances.

This attitude is based on what officials consider a coldly realistic view of the situation. Now that the Soviet government has officially proclaimed its determination to keep the Western Ukraine and Belorussian territories as part of the Soviet Union, it is felt the Allies will be unable to persuade Moscow to change its mind.

In fact, it is believed Soviet Marshal Joseph Stalin made it clear at the Teheran conference that he is determined to retain most of the territory that Poland took from Russia in 1921.

If the Polish government in London should reject the Russian offer, it is feared Moscow would then permit the Soviet-sponsored union of Polish patriots to establish a puppet regime in Poland. The danger is seen that such a move might lead to civil war in Poland and to a wholesale purge of those people who remain loyal to the London government. It is further feared that Russia might take an even greater slice of Poland if the Poles reject the present Soviet offer.

Under these circumstances, official Washington is inclined to believe it would be advisable for the Polish government to accept as a basis for discussion the Russian terms. Especially since those terms commit the Soviets to support the establishment of a strong and independent Poland.

## Action Unlikely On Service Draft

## Dean Park Plot Ready; Await Spray

## OCD Workers Contacted, Ready To Supervise Sledging On City Streets

By ROBERT HUMPHREYS (O. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12—Congress appeared likely today to lay President Roosevelt's suggested national service legislation gently on the shelf to be taken down only if widespread strikes threatened.

Although the Senate Military Committee was called behind closed doors to consider the proposal this morning, and the House Military Committee promised to do likewise next Tuesday, favorable action seemed improbable.

Mr. Roosevelt's congressional leaders were reported without instructions to proceed, most members frowned at or openly opposed the idea of a national service act, and labor unions were vociferously hostile. CIO President Philip Murray denounced the proposal as "quack medicine" and AFL Chief William Green was also said to be against it.

Both Democrats and Republicans doubted that pending national service bills would be definitely pugnacious. Instead, the forecast was general that a course of inaction would be followed leaving the way open for quick revival should a wave of strikes appear in the making.

Two bills in Congress held the foreground as the result of Mr. Roosevelt's recommendation in his state of the union message.

One was a measure sponsored jointly by Sen. Austin (R) VT, and Rep. Wadsworth (R) N. Y., which would employ machinery similar to that of the selective service for the mobilization of all men between 18 and 65, and all women between 18 and 50.

The other was a bill by Rep. Clare Booth Luce (R) Conn., affecting men only, between the ages of 18 and 45. They would be liable to induction into army and navy "labor" corps at the serviceman's rate of pay.

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## SEE ROOSEVELT VERSUS DEWEY

Congressmen Believe That  
President Will Run—Believe  
Dewey G. O. P. Choice

By HAROLD SLATER  
(U. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12—(INS)—Most of the congressmen, who spent the holidays sampling political thought at home, are convinced today that President Roosevelt will be matched next November in a fourth term race against Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, of New York. A few Democrats, who believe the president will retire after his present third term, had no second choice for the Democratic nomination.

A few Republicans, who did not believe Dewey would be the Republican nominee, favored Gen. Douglas MacArthur. Republicans said they found very little sentiment for Wendell Willkie, the 1940 GOP nominee.

Democrats generally reported that their political lieutenants in the home front expect President Roosevelt to be the Democratic nominee this year. They reported a general sentiment among Democratic politicians at home that the president is the strongest possible Democratic nominee, whether or not he desires a fourth term. They added that there was no crystallized sentiment among their party's home front leaders for any other Democratic potentiality.

The congressmen themselves generally agreed with what their lieutenants reported about the home fronts. Most Democratic members expect the president to run, agree that he would be their strongest candidate, regardless of the state of the war and assert it has been his policies which kept other Democrats from securing the status of presidential potentialities. A few Democrats however would like to see the president defeated for renomination.

On the Republican side, members reported finding Dewey sentiment growing steadily in all sections of the country. They also report that

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Willkie sentiment is steadily retreating. A half dozen Republicans said Willkie had lost more ground among Republican political leaders over the past weekend when Governor William H. Wills, of Vermont, declared the 1940 GOP nominee was the "only Republican certain to beat" Roosevelt. Wills made a personal attack on Alf M. Landon, the 1936 nominee. John D. M. Hamilton, former GOP chairman, and other Republican leaders calling them "four year locusts."

## MARINES EYE WAKE ISLAND

PEARL HARBOR, Jan. 12—(INS)—Wake Island, linked in thought with the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor, has entered its third year in the hands of the enemy.

The tiny dot of sand, 2,300 miles west of Pearl Harbor, long ago was assured of its niche in American and Marine Corps history by the stand of a handful of Marines against overwhelming air, sea and invasion forces.

Two years after its fall to the enemy, and despite the opportunity and time the Japanese have had to prepare its defenses, observers at Pearl Harbor feel that American fleet forces are now of such strength that we can go against Wake if and when we choose.

This feeling is more or less compounded with the rebirth and increased strength of American naval forces in the Pacific and the defensive strategy of the Japanese. A study of the Pacific war map, however, bolsters the opinions for with Midway long one of our secured outposts and the Gilberts now wrested from the enemy, Wake itself may be considered as "boxed."

American submarines have been operating at will in supposedly Japanese-controlled waters. There is no way of telling how many times Japanese soldiers on Wake have been forced to go on short rations because of our submarine.

### Lions Prepare For War Fund Campaign

Are Addressed By County  
Chairman Judge Braham,  
City Chairman Maher

New Castle Lions club, which has taken an active part in the last two war fund campaigns, made preparation to do their part in putting over the fourth war fund drive, scheduled to get under way soon, at their meeting in The Casleton Tuesday noon.

They were addressed by Judge W. Waller Braham, county war bond chairman, and John J. Maher, city chairman.

Mr. Maher explained the type of bonds which will be offered for sale on this occasion and asked the Lions to do their usual job.

Judge Braham told the club that he knew they would do their usual fine job in connection with the coming campaign as they have in the past.

John G. Bigler of the Ritchie Undertaking company was taken in as a new member at Tuesday's meeting.

U. S. war dead from Pearl Harbor to the summer of last year had reached approximately 15,000 whereas during the same period there were 40,000 traffic deaths.

### Eight Pass Test To Drive Auto

Eight persons passed a motor vehicle operator's test, Tuesday, in Sampson street when state police conducted tests.

The names of those who passed are:

Betty Jane Duff, R. D. 2.

Donald R. Wier, 732 Court street.

Louis Wolfe, 112 South Mercer street.

Luigi J. Martino, 212 South Cedar street.

Claire A. Wylie, R. D. 1, New Castle.

Dorothy Latham, R. D. 1, New Castle.

James P. Corbett, R. D. 1, New Castle.

Edmond List, Box 102, Edenburg.

Before going to the service station to have your automobile's lubricant changed, it is a wise plan to drive long enough to warm up the lubricants so that they may be easily cleaned and completely drained.

### Be Quick To Treat Bronchitis

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### HENRY HOME MATRON RECEIVES LETTER

Mrs. William Cover has received word her son, Charles Cover, in the word forces is located in Scotland.

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## YOUR FEDERAL INCOME TAX

### NO. 8 INCOME TO BE REPORTED

In preparing a Federal income from every source, unless specifically exempt by statute, must be reported. The types of income specifically exempt are listed in the instructions accompanying the return Form 1040 and in a later article of this series.

In addition to salaries, wages, fees, and commissions which must be reported, all bonuses, tips, prizes and awards, and other forms of compensation must be reported. A minister of the gospel must report all fees he receives for funerals, for masses, for baptisms, for marriages, and for other like services, as well as cash allowances received to cover the cost of a parsonage.

If a person is paid in whole or in part for his services in anything other than money, the fair market value of whatever was received must be reported as income. This applies to meals or living quarters furnished to ministers of the gospel, which is exempt by law. If, however, meals or living quarters are furnished to employees for the convenience of the employer, they are not part of the compensation for services for income tax purposes, and need not be treated as income. In determining whether they are provided for the convenience of the employer, it is not sufficient merely to show that an employer requires the employee to eat or reside on the premises provided, but it must appear that because of the nature of the work it is necessary for the employee to eat or reside there in order properly to perform his duties.

Interest, including wages, must be reported whether received in hand or not, if there is "constructive receipt," that is, if it has been credited to the account of, or set apart for, a taxpayer without any substantial limitation or restriction, and if it may be drawn upon by him at any time. This applies to interest credited to a savings account and subject to withdrawal during the year, to dividend checks received during the year whether cashed or not, to interest coupons maturing during the year whether cashed or not (unless the bond is in default and no funds are available to pay the interest coupons), and the like.

Interest accumulated, or accrued during the year on War Savings Bonds may be treated by a taxpayer, reporting his income on the cash basis, as income during the year, or the accrual may be deferred until the bonds are cashed or reach maturity, and reported then as income. However, a taxpayer on the cash basis who elects to report such income as it accrues must adhere to that method in all subsequent returns.

A farmer who trades or exchanges the produce of his farm for goods or services must report as income the value of the goods or services received by such trade or exchange.

Alimony and separate maintenance payments periodically received by a wife subsequent to decree of divorce or of separate maintenance must be reported as income.

A member of the military or naval forces of the United States, regardless of rank, may exclude from gross income for 1943 not more than \$1,500 of his or her compensation received during that year, for active service. If the total of his pay for such services is less than \$1,500, he may exclude the total of the \$1,500 exclusion may not be applied against other income. Also the amounts contributed by the Government to the service man's "monthly family allowance" are in the nature of gifts by the Government and need not be included in income.

The letter recalls his early days in the home and he expresses his appreciation for the kindly treatment given him. The letter was in answer to Christmas cards sent from the home to Sergeant Schaffert. He asks about many of his former playmates in the home and asks for the address of some of the young men who are new in service.

NO PURPLE HEART? NOT

THAT AINT RIGHT, MEN

SOMEWHERE IN THE SOUTHWEST PACIFIC.—(INS)—U. S. Marines had just sat down for noon chow when Jap bombers arrived for a luncheon raid, and everybody scrambled for shelter.

Private First Class James Vesey of Casper, Wyo., toted along a can-tea-can full of steaming coffee. As he scooted into a dugout while bombers thundered nearby, he stumbled over Pfc. Joe Kaminsky of Brooklyn, N. Y., and spilled some of the hot coffee on him.

"My God, they got me!" shrieked Kaminsky as he reached for the burning soap.

It took Pfc. Vesey some time to

convince Joe that his "wound" was hot coffee, not shrapnel.

"Then," reports Vesey, "the guy

bawled me out for depriving him

of his Purple Heart. That's grati-

tude for you!"

BOUAGINVILLE FERRY  
ALWAYS ON THE JOB

BOUAGINVILLE.—(INS)—Staten Island, N. Y., and Bougainville have at least one thing in common. Both have a ferry.

However, the fare's cheaper on the Bougainville Ferry, set up several hours after the invasion of Bougainville by the Marines. The ride doesn't cost anything at all, and the schedule is more convenient, too. There is always a boat and they'll leave at your convenience.

There are a few drawbacks, of course. The ferries are only rubber boats and you are quite likely to get your feet wet.

# Dufford's ANNOUNCE their FIRE & SMOKE

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**SALE** Stock of  
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MUST GO!!  
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SEE OUR ADVERTISEMENT IN THURSDAY'S NEWS

### PULASKI

#### W. B. A. REVIEW DINNER

The regular meeting and annual dinner of the W. B. A. Review No. 201 was held Thursday evening.

Mrs. William Cover installed the following officers: President,

Mrs. Selwyn Lewis; vice president,

Mrs. Gaylord Cameron; past president,

Mrs. Chas. Clark; secretary,

Mrs. Walter Mitchetree; treasurer,

Mrs. L. L. Rodgers; financial secretary,

Mrs. Lloyd Mitchetree; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Billie Reese, lady of honor, Mrs. Adam Gell; ring-bearer, Mrs. Ossie Headings; color bearers, Mrs. Ernest Gallagher and Mrs. Clarence Garrett, out hosts, Mrs. Walter Crabb.

dinner on Sunday evening. Mrs. Wilson has been confined to her home with illness for the past couple of weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. Frederick Taylor have moved from their farm to the Alex Ramsey property which they purchased in New Wilmington.

Miss Virginia Rudzik has been appointed acting postmistress on the resignation of Miss Lois Kerr who has been postmistress for the past fifteen years.

Miss Angeline Tait who has been confined to her home with illness for two weeks was able to return to Clifton where she is a teacher in the schools.

Mrs. Billie Reese left Thursday

to visit her husband, Air Cadet Billie Reese, who is attending the University of Tennessee at Knoxville.

Mrs. and Mrs. L. J. Lewis and children Llewellyn and Carol Ann of New Bedford, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Reese for dinner at noon on Sunday.

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## National Guard In Service For Nearly 3 Years

GROVE CITY, Jan. 12—Nearly three years after the local National Guard units were mobilized for active duty they are now in the combat zone. Letters received here by relatives state that the units are now billeted in Wales, England. The personnel of Headquarters Co., 112th Infantry, has undergone drastic changes since 114 men left here February 26, 1941. In charge of the company as communications officer of the regiment is Capt. John A. McKinley, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McKinley, 105 Triball avenue. Capt. James A. Griffith was in charge when the outfit left Grove City.

Many of the former non-coms have earned their bars, and are in charge of other companies. The unit consisted largely of seasoned guardsmen, and it was used to supply the new army with instructors. However, it is believed that at least 75 local men remain.

## Dewey Is Silent On Suggestions Of "Draft Dewey"

ALBANY, Jan. 12—(INS)—Whether Gov. Thomas E. Dewey would accept drafting as the 1944 Republican presidential candidate remained an open question today— even after newsmen sounded him out on the subject.

Asked directly for confirmation or refutation of the reported statement by State G. O. P. Chairman Edwin F. Jaekle and National Committeeman J. Russell Sprague to the national committee that Dewey would run if nominated, the governor replied:

"I am wholly and exclusively occupied with the administration of the affairs of the state of New York, period. Close quote."

He said he had talked with Jaekle and Sprague separately before they left for the Chicago national committee meeting, but that his candidacy was not discussed.

## New Castle Hospital Staff Has Election

### Dr. John P. Prioletti Elected As New President Of Staff At Tuesday Meeting

New Castle hospital staff held their annual election of officers on Tuesday evening during their first meeting of the new year, the session being conducted in the New Castle hospital.

President is Dr. John P. Prioletti; vice president, Dr. David L. Perrier; secretary, Dr. Nathan Ginsburg; treasurer, Dr. S. V. Perry, Sr.

An interesting case was presented during the meeting by Dr. P. A. Shoff and Dr. N. Ginsburg.

At the close of business the staff was served a delicious dinner by the Sisters of St. Francis.

Tuesday, Feb. 8, is the date for the next meeting.

## Postwar Problems Are Already Here

CARLISLE, Pa., Jan. 12—(INS)—Postwar problems were said to be already here today with an estimated 70,000 men a month reported returning home shortly from service.

These men, after hospitalization, will be seeking jobs, State Secretary of Commerce Floyd Chalfant told the Carlisle Y. M. C. A. at its annual dinner meeting last night.

Chalfant revealed that jobs have already been found for more than 11,000 veterans by the U. S. Employment Service in the six-month period ending Dec. 1.

The Martin cabinet official praised the Y. M. C. A. for its contribution to the spiritual, mental and physical development of men during the hundred years of its existence.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

JAMESON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL Admitted: Mrs. Lavina Mast, R. F. D. No. 1, New Wilmington; Naomi Atkinson, Harrison street; Mrs. Lurilla McCormick, R. F. D. No. 3; Mrs. Sarah Shaffer, Blaine street; Mrs. Alda Keely, W. Garfield avenue; Mrs. Anne Lintz, Emery street; Miss Genevieve Schugars, Park avenue.

Discharged: Mrs. Jennie Moore, R. F. D. No. 1; Clarence McConnell, R. F. D. No. 3, Slippery Rock; Mrs. Myrtle Schaffer, Produce street; Howard D. Leslie, Hillcrest avenue; Mrs. Katie Choate, Green street; Joan Ruth Miller, E. Moody avenue; Mrs. Elizabeth Waddinger, North Mercer street; Miss Nellie Patton, Sandy Lake; Miss Anne Snyder and infant son, E. Washington street; Mrs. Hazel Kincaid and infant daughter, North Liberty street; Mrs. Eileen Chutz, East Leavenworth street.

NEW CASTLE HOSPITAL Admitted—Mrs. Lydia Rainey, 109 North Liberty street; Teresa McCree, box 31, Hillsville; Mrs. Mary Kennedy, Washington street; Howard McConnell, 106 South Pine street; Mrs. Anna Salter, 134 Oakwood avenue; Mrs. Hazel McDonald, 108 Queen street.

Discharged—Mrs. Jennie DeFonso, 16 East Home street; John George, 14 West Reynolds street; Mrs. Ann Corio and infant daughter, 306 Lutton street; Robert Long, 101 North Jefferson street; Howard Hettick, 116 West Long avenue; Mrs. Minnie Keller and infant daughter, R. D. 1, Ellwood City; Caspar Grudzie, 816 McCleary avenue; Umberto Trancillo, 5 East Pine street; Richard Thomas, 201 Southfield street.

The light from the farthest star takes approximately ten million years to reach the earth.

## Flew Rocket Plane



## DAILY CROSSWORD

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## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

## Houses For Sale

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## AUCTION SALES

PUBLIC SALE—The undersigned will offer at a Public Auction on his farm at 21000 N. Hill, New Castle, at 12:30 o'clock P. M. The following described property: Brown mare, 10-years-old, due Jan. 15; Guernsey, 3-years-old, due Jan. 20; Holstein and Jersey, 4-years-old, due Jan. 26; Guernsey, 3-years-old, due Feb. 20; Guernsey, 4-years-old, due March 28; Guernsey, 5-years-old, due April 10; Guernsey, 7-years-old, due June 10; Jersey, 3-years-old, pasture-bred; Guernsey, 2-years-old, pasture-bred; two Guernseys, 20-months-old, pasture-bred; Guernsey, 12-months-old, Holstein, 5-months-old, Guernsey Holstein, 5-months-old; three Guernsey heifers, 4-months-old; Holstein bull, 20-months-old; Holstein bull, 10-months-old, in heat; 6-months-old Guernsey bull, 7-months-old—all T. B. and bang-tested; grain drill; Deere mower; McCormick grain binder; 2-horse disk harrow; 2-horse disk walking plow; show plow; dump rake; hard coal brooder; platform scale; 16-ton coal car; outside corn crib; 1000-lb milk cans; some household goods, and a lot of small articles too numerous to mention. Terms of Sale: C. Dorris L. Finkman, auctioneer; Wm. W. Woldman, clerk; Frank Mrozek, owner.

## LEGAL NOTICES

## Executrix's Notice

Letters of testamentary in the estate of Hugh A. Kyle, also known as H. A. Kyle, late of North Beaver Township, Lawrence County, Pa., deceased, having been admitted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to settle at once and those having claims against the estate to present them to the personal representative, H. A. Kyle, Executrix, Enon Valley, Pa. R. D. No. 1.

Legal—News—Jan. 12, 1944.

## Executor's Notice

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary in the estate of Thomas James Hamill, late of the Fourth Ward, New Castle, Dennis, deceased, have been granted in the undersigned. All persons having claims or demands against the said estate are requested to make the same known and all persons indebted to the estate to make payment without delay. JEROME W. HAMIL, 1534 Ridge Ave., Scranton, Pa.

Legal—News—Jan. 12, 1944.

## Notice of Administrator

Letters of administration in the estate of William J. Douglass, late of New Castle, Pennsylvania, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make payment and those having claims to present same without delay. 1000 East Reynolds Street, New Castle, Pennsylvania, or his attorney Leroy K. Donaldson, L. S. & T. Building, New Castle, Pennsylvania. Legal—News—Dec. 29, 1943, Jan. 12, 1944.

## BANK STATEMENT

REPORT of the condition of Bessemer State Bank, located at Bessemer, Pa., as of Dec. 31, day of December, 1943. Published in accordance with a law made by the Senate of the Banking of Pennsylvania to the provisions of the Department of Banking Code.

ASSETS

Loans and discounts, including \$223,567 over-drafts, \$163,670.28

United States bonds, direct and guaranteed, \$621,563.64

Obligations of States and political subdivisions, 17,932.84

Other bonds, notes and debts, \$2,880.47

Corporate stocks, etc., 3,359.16

Cash balances in other banks, including private and foreign exchanges for clearing house, and cash items in process of collection, 169,381.70

Bank premises owned \$5,600

Furniture and fixtures, \$12,500 6,750.00

Real estate owned other than bank premises, 4,650.00

Real estate sold under articles of agreement not in default, 7,569.71

Other assets, 585.25

## Total Assets, \$1,619,343.65

## LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations, \$288,893.30

Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations, 428,750.06

Deposits of United States Government, including postal savings, 17,000.00

Deposits of S. S. and post office savings, 177,921.49

Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.), 4,214.36

## Total Deposits, 916,819.21

Other liabilities, 236.94

## Total Liabilities, \$917,056.15

## CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Common shares, total par value \$50,000.00

Total Par Value Capital Stock Outstanding, 50,000.00

## Surplus, 42,500.00

Undivided profits, net, 7,826.27

Reserves (including retirement fund for preferred capital), 1,960.63

## Total Capital Accounts, 102,286.90

## Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts, \$1,019,343.05

## MEMORANDA

Pledged assets and securities, including cash value, (a) S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities, \$316,243.65

## (e) Total, \$16,243.65

Secured liabilities, (a) Deposits, other than trust funds, secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law, 151,355.71

## (e) Total, \$151,355.71

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, County of Lawrence, ss.

J. Chas. Weitz, cashier, of the above named institution, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed, CHAS. WEITZ, cashier.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 11th day of January, 1944.

Signed,

MISS LOIS D. O'NEIL, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest,

Signed.

A. GREEN, A. STEWART, ROY C. WALLIS.

Legal—News—Jan. 12, 1944.

## STOCKS

## STOCK MARKET TREND IS LOWER

Losses in Day's Trading Were Generally Lower—Selling Is Light

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—(INS)—The stock market drifted lower today after a quiet steady opening. Losses were generally fractional, and at no time was the selling heavy.

Volume contracted sharply from yesterday's 996,220 shares.

Light profit taking following yesterday's early rally was a factor.

Chemicals and mining shares were lower, with Allied Chemical and U. S. Smelting off a point or more at one time. Steels, leaders in the morning rally yesterday, eased fractionally.

Motors, oils and aviations were steady with price changes insignificant. Railroads were slightly lower with Hudson and Manhattan preferred losing fractionally on the injunction against the proposed increased passenger rates.

Utilities were narrow, while specialties were quiet, but steady.

Strength in Rock Island issues following the ICC revision of the carrier's reorganization plan gave a steady undertone to the bond market.

## STOCK PRICES AT ONE P. M.

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Industrial, 138.36

Rails, 35.06

Utilities, 22.49

Amer. Loco, 16

Amer. Steel Fdry, 25

Atlantic Rfg, 25

A. Rad. & Stan. S, 9

Allied Chalmers, 38

A. T. & T., 148

Am. Zinc Lead & Smelt, 156

B. & Q., 35

Bendix Aviation, 58

Baldwin Loco, 16

Boeing Airplane, 14

Canadian Pacific, 44

Caterpillar T., 29

Chesapeake & Ohio, 42

Chrysler Steel, 41

Co. Gas & Elec., 22

Consolidated Edison, 11

Cou. Can Co., 34

Cou. Motors, 5

Commercial Solvents, 6

Curtiss Wright, 37

Cuse J., 140

DuPont de Nemours, 52

Douglas Aircraft, 52

Electric Auto Lite, 38

Electric Bond & Share, 8

Electric Power & Light, 4

Great Northern, 27

General Foods, 43

General Electric, 37

Glenn Martin, 17

Goodrich Rubber, 42

Goodveal Rubber, 38

Gulf Oil, 45

Hudson Motors, 3

Inter. Nickel Co., 27

Inspiration Copper, 11

J. T. & T., 11

Johns-Manville, 89

Kennecott Copper, 31

Kloster Grc., 32

Lobby Owner-Ford, 43

Lone Star Gas, 34

Mid. Cont. Pet., 26

Mack Trucks, 35

Montgomery Ward, 46

N. Y. C., 16

Northern Pacific, 13

Nash Kelvinator, 12

National Dairy, 20

National Cash Reg., 28

North Amer. Aviation, 21

National Biscuit, 21

Ohio Oil, 18

P. R. R., 27

Pennroad, 4

Phillips Petrol., 46

Packard Motors, 37

Pepsi Cola, 51

## LEGAL NOTICES

## TAX ORDINANCE

## ORDINANCE NO. 96

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF WAMPUM, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, fixing the tax rate for the fiscal year 1944.

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Council of the Borough of Wampum, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

SECTION 1. That a tax be and the same is hereby levied on all property

and occupancy within the said Borough subject to taxation for Borough purposes for the fiscal year 1944, as follows:

For tax rate for general Borough purposes, \$0.000000 (0) mills on each dollar assessed valuation:

For debt purposes the sum of (3) mills on each dollar of assessed valuation:

Making a total tax rate for all Borough purposes of (3) mills.

SECTION 2. That any ordinance, or part of ordinance, conflicting with this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed insofar as the same affects this ordinance.

Adopted this 19th day of January, A. D. 1944.

ABE CALAN, President of Council.

Approved this 19th day of January, A. D. 1944.

JAMES L. FERRANTE, Burgess.

(SEAL)

CERTIFICATION:

To the Secretary of Internal Affairs:

I hereby certify that the foregoing

ordinance is a true and correct copy

of Ordinance No. 36 enacted by the

Council of the Borough of Wampum,

on January 19, 1944.

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## Dewey Forces Are Confident He Is To Be Nominee

### Believe New York Governor Will Be Named At Con- vention In June

By WILLIAM THIS  
N.Y. Staff Correspondent  
CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—The "draft-Dewey" forces appeared to be firmly established today as Republican party leaders—looking now toward the first campaign move from the Democrats—begin evacuating their convention-designated headquarters in Chicago.

Spokesmen for the GOP faction behind Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York evinced smiling satisfaction with the success of their quiet campaign to promote the political stock of the man who lost the 1940 nomination to Wendell Willkie.

#### Dewey Backers Confident

When the Republican convention convenes June 26 in Chicago, the Dewey people are confident that a majority of the delegates will give their votes to the governor and find him "available." Just how soon the former prosecutor's sponsors will "take the wraps off" their draft movement may be decided in "the next few weeks," it was indicated.

Willkie scouts at the Republican National committee meeting were anything but happy over the trend of sentiment. Their intent to push the fight against Dewey—an unnamed contender who to date has said only that he will not be a candidate—was indicated in plans to announce Willkie's formal candidacy in the next fortnight.

The Dewey support, powerful in such pivotal states as Pennsylvania, New York and Illinois, was reflected as well in some of the border areas.

Low H. Wentz, national GOP committeeman from Oklahoma, said that sentiment for the New York chief executive in his state was dominant.

Gov. Dwight Griswold of Nebraska one of the state Willkie plans to enter as an April 11 primary contestant, summed up the defeated 1940 presidential nominee's outlook this way:

"Willkie has got to win the Nebraska primary or never be nominated in the Republican convention."

Many invalids and feeble older persons are scalped when bathing at taking a shower unattended.

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### NEWS ON COURT HOUSE HILL

#### MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS

Joseph Kachmer, 333 Poland avenue, Bessemer; Olga Nosik, Poland avenue, Bessemer.

George C. Mitcheltree, 1211 East Brook street, New Castle; Effie L. Eckley, 1211½ East Brook street, New Castle.

Bernardino De Dominicis, 216 East Home street, New Castle; Lucy Di Giacimento, 941 South Mill street, New Castle.

#### REALTY TRANSFERS

Lawrence County Commissioners to Agnes Wilkison and others, Shenango twp., \$1267.32.

Homer H. Sparks and wife to Harry L. Frye and wife, Wilmington twp., \$1.

Michael A. Mulcahy and wife to Joseph J. Frengel and wife, Shenango twp., \$1.

Bessemer Limestone and Cement Co., to Blas Serjak and others, Bessemer, \$1.

Loyal R. Tanner and wife to Harold A. Good, Shenango twp., \$1.

Harold A. Good and wife to Clyde E. Daugherty and wife, Shenango twp., \$1.

Clymer C. Cover and wife to Rudolph C. Byler and wife, Pulaski twp., \$1.

Marguerite Fairfax Buffington est-  
ate to Ray G. Carruthers, 2nd ward, \$1500.

#### ATTENDS DINNER

County Commissioner Joseph F. Travers attended a dinner in Pittsburgh Monday night designed to promote the interests of State Treasurer G. Harold Wagner who aspires to the auditor-generalship. His brother, James Travers who is state

### Pomona Grange At Big Beaver

#### Grangers Favor Building Rural Highways Before Dream Highways, Boulevards

committeeman of the Democratic party in Lawrence county accompanied him.

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### First Blackout Test Of 1944 Made Tuesday Night

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 12.—(INS) State civilian defense officials were "satisfied" today with Pennsylvania's first blackout test of 1944.

The test, ordered by the Army's Third Service Command, started at 10:25 p. m. and ended an hour later. The yellow alert sounded at 10:25, with the first blue 15 minutes later. The Red blast came at 10:55 followed by the second blue signal at 11:10. At 11:25 the final all clear sirens were blown.

Two other states in the Third Service Command also had practice blackouts. Maryland underwent a test from 6:30 to 7:30 p. m., while Virginia was blackedout between 3:30 and 9:30 p. m.

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### Vegetable Plant Growers To Meet

Discussion On How To Improve Plant Growing Will Take Place Thursday

Lawrence County vegetable plant growers and greenhouse men of Lawrence County will have an opportunity of learning how to improve cultural methods at a meeting sponsored by the Lawrence County Agricultural Extension Association in the extension office, Room 266, Post Office Building, on Thursday afternoon of this week, starting at 1:30 o'clock.

The speakers will include W. B. Nissley, garden extension specialist of Penn State College; and A. H. Bauer, extension pathologist. Mr. Nissley will discuss suggestions on growing better vegetable plants, while Mr. Bauer will tell how to grow healthy vegetable plants.

After their talk, an opportunity will be given to ask questions and enter into discussion on plant growing problems. This meeting is open to anyone interested in this subject.

County Agent L. C. Dayton announces.

### "Bud" Emery Gets Wound In Italy

Local Boy Suffers Slight Wound While Fighting Germans, Father Is Informed

Jacob E. Emery, of South Ray street, has received word from the War Department that his son, Pvt. Jacob E. Jr. (Bud) Emery, has been slightly wounded in the fighting in Italy. He received his injury on December 21.

Pvt. Emery, aged 32 years, has been overseas since last March and has been in the fighting with the Fifth Army for a number of months. He was inducted into the service in May, 1942.

He is operating on only a stomach digestive capacity of only 50 to 60% normal is severely handicapped.

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